Welcome Back Weekend May 1-3, 2009 Welcome back campers!

Friday, May 1st

5-7 p.m.

Roving Naturalist: Campground

Be on the look-out for a naturalist walking around the campgrounds with a surprise visitor!

Saturday, May 2nd

8:30 a.m.

Mist Netting Demonstration: See a wild bird up close! Meet: Canyon Inn Front Steps



Mist-nets are soft fine nets used by scientists to safely capture and release songbirds for bird banding. Don't miss this opportunity to observe a wild bird up close!

10:00 a.m.

INshape DNR Official Walk

Option 1: Hike an accessible trail about 1.5 miles in length leading through part of Wolf Cave Nature Preserve and campgrounds. 1 hour. Option 2: Hike approximately 3 miles on moderate terrain meandering through many different habitats- open field, forested woodland, and riverside. 2 hours.

2:30 p.m.

Welcome Back Migrants! Meet: Nature Center



There's *another* group we should be welcoming back this time of the year. Learn about the spring migration and play the migration game for yourself!

Sunday, May 3rd

11:30 a.m.

Bluebird 101

Meet: Nature Center

This beautiful creature has long been "harbinger of spring." Learn about the bluebird monitoring project here at the park and peak inside a nesting box for yourself!